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Curriculum Vitae

Full name	Rolf A. Brekken	
Current Position	Professor	
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Education

- 1987-1991 B.A. in Biology, Luther College, Decorah, Iowa
- 1991-1993 Immunology, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa
- 1993-1999 Ph.D. Southwestern Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Dallas, Texas
Mentor: Philip E. Thorpe, PhD
- 1999-2002 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Vascular Biology, The Hope Heart Institute, Seattle, Washington
Mentor: E. Helene Sage, PhD

Professional Experience

- Assistant Professor, Dept. Surgery/Pharmacology, UT Southwestern 2002 - 2009
- Associate Professor 2009- 2015
- Professor 2015 - Present
- Deputy Director, Hamon Center for Therapeutic Onc. Res. 2015 - Present
- Director, Cancer Biology Graduate Program 2018- Present

Over 45 trainees have trained in Dr. Brekken's laboratory in the last 20 years.

Original Papers: 201 (197 published or in press, 4 submitted for publication or in revision)

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